

AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Figs. 10-11. This sheet replaces the original sheet for Figs. 10-11.

In Figs. 10-11, arrows have been added to the connectors for reference numerals 1002 and 1016. The connectors for reference numerals 1100 and 1102 now point to the edges, as disclosed on p. 16, line 16 and the drawings as originally filed.

REMARKS:

In the Drawings:

The drawings have been objected to.

The changes suggested by the Examiner have been made to Figs. 10 and 11 in the attached replacement sheets. Withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

Claim Objection

Claims 30 and 36 have been objected to due to informalities. Claim 30 has been amended as suggested by the Examiner. Claim 36 has been amended to recite "the method comprising:" so as to clarify that a method is being claimed. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

In the Specification

The changes suggested by the Examiner have been made. Withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

112, second paragraph

Claims 27-36 have been rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph. Claims 27, 28 and 36 have been amended in a manner believed to obviate the rejection under 35 USC 112, second paragraph. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection is respectfully requested.

Claims 28-33, 35-36

Claims 28-33 and 35-36 have been rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Biskeborn et al. (US5905613).

Claims 28 and 36 have been amended to require that the groove is defined by a substantially planar first surface, the first surface extending to an edge coincident with the first surface and the one of the side faces of the head body. In contrast, Biskeborn's groove 68 does not extend to one of the side faces. Therefore, the amendments to claims

28 and 36 are believed to render claims 28, 36 and any claims depending therefrom allowable.

Allowable subject matter

Applicants acknowledge and appreciate indication of allowable subject matter in claims 27 and 34. Claim 34 has been amended to include all limitations of the parent claim and any intervening claim. Allowance of claims 27 and 34 is respectfully requested.

In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 971-2573. For payment of any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 09-0466 (Order No. SJO920000201US1).

Respectfully submitted,

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